

managing risk with responsibility

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Stoneman Douglas High

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SUBJECT: Indoor Air Quality (IAQ) Assessment

Portable 89N

For Custodial Supervisor Use Only								
	Custodial Issues Addressed							
	Custodial Issues Not Addressed							

On May 13, 2008 I conducted an assessment of Portable 89N at **Stoneman Douglas High**. This evaluation included observations of the flooring system, ceiling tiles, false ceiling plenum, environmental surfaces, interior and exterior walls, and the accessible ventilation equipment. Additionally, environmental parameter measurements were taken to include temperature, relative humidity, and carbon dioxide. The detailed findings, along with the recommended corrective action can be found on the attached IAQ Assessment Worksheets.

The IAQ assessment did identify one or more existing conditions impacting IAQ and has generated appropriate work orders to correct deficiencies in systems and maintenance that could contribute to decreased indoor air quality. At the time of the assessment, these concerns were not an immediate health or safety concern to building occupants. However, due to individual sensitivities and predisposing health factors, it is possible that some building occupants may elicit a health response to agents and / or conditions identified during the evaluation. Therefore, to further improve IAQ, prevent development of future IAQ-related problems, and to reduce the potential for IAQ-related complaints by building occupants, the IAQ Assessment Team recommends appropriate follow up of each item identified and listed in the attached evaluation.

Please ensure that your Head Facilities Serviceperson receives a copy of this correspondence so that the recommendations requiring their attention can be addressed. Within two weeks a representative from the Custodial/Grounds Department will conduct a follow-up visit to ensure that all issues have been appropriately addressed.

Should any questions arise, or if the current concerns continue after the attached recommendations have been addressed, please feel free to contact me at 754-321-3200.

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Stoneman Douglas High School					Evaluation Requested May 2, 2008		
Time of Day	3:30 pm]			i	Evaluation Date	May 13, 2008
Outdoor Condi	itions Tei	mperature	91.3	Relative Humidit	y 43.1	Ambien	t CO2 478
Fish	Temperature	Range I	Relative Humidity	/ Range	CO2	Rang	e # Occupants
P-89N	77.2	72 - 78	49.3	30% - 60%	1818	Max 700 >	Ambient 2
Noticeable Odor No]	Visible water Visible microl damage / staining? growth?			Amount of material affected	
Ceiling Type	Gypsum		No	No		None	
Wall Type	Gypsum		Yes	No		South wall	
Flooring	Tile		No	No		l l	None
	Clean	Minor Du / Debris		}	Corre	ctive Action Req	uired
Ceiling	Yes	No	No				
Walls	No	Yes	Yes		Repair/replace as appropriate		
Flooring	Yes	No	No				
HVAC Supply	Grills No	Yes	Yes		Clean wit	h Wexcide disin	fectant
HVAC Return	Grills No	Yes	Yes		Clean wit	h Wexcide disin	fectant
Ceiling at Sup Grills	ply Yes	No	No				
Surfaces in Ro	oom Yes	No	No				

IAQ Assessment

3011

Location Number

Observations

Findings:

- No visible signs of microbial growth or water intrusion
- Water damage/staining on entire South wall under all windows. Signs of moisture in the wall cavity.
- Heavy dust and debris on the A/C filters
- Heavy dust and debris on A/C supply and return grills
- CO2 level was slightly elevated
- Cracked/broken floor tile

Recommendations:

Site Based Maintenance:

- Remove and replace A/C filters in both units
- Thoroughly clean A/C supply and return grills with Wexcide disinfectant solution
- Contact Physical Plant Operations to generate a work order to repair/replace cracked/broken floor tile
- Continue to monitor this location for any signs of microbial growth as well as dust and debris accumulation and clean as appropriate

Physical Plant Operations:

- Evaluate South wall for cause of water damage/staining and repair as appropriate. Repair/replace wall material as necessary. Evaluate T-1-11 on exterior (South) wall of portable and repair as appropriate.
- Evaluate A/C units for proper operation and repair as appropriate to lower CO2 level